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For: INK-JET PRINTHEAD SUBSTRATE, DRIVING CONTROL METHOD, INK-JET PRINTHEAD AND INK-JET PRINTING APPARATUS) :) :) :) May 23, 2006

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed non-U.S. patent document is also enclosed.

Most of the listed references were cited in the International Search Report corresponding to the present case. A copy of that search report was submitted with the initial filing of this case.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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